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CIA Probe Plaus Delayed By Unit

Washington, Jan. 25 M-The Senate Foreign Relations Committee put off a decision today on a proposal for a full study of the operations of the Central Intelligene Agency.

Senator Fulbright (D., Ark.), chairman, said the committee discussed in closed session the proposal by Senator McCarthy, (D., Minn.) but took no action.

McCarthy called for creation of a subcommittee to study the "effects of the operations and activities of the Central Intelligence Agency upon the foreign relations of the United States."

Some critics of CIA have described it as an "invisible government" which, instead of limiting its activities to supplying secret data on which to base major policies, often determine these policies by its operations.

Fulbright declined to say whether he thought the committee should set up an investigating subcommittee.